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BASKETBALL FIVE LOSES THREE GAMES; FORCES VERMONT AND UNION TO LIMIT

Overtime Period Necessary To Give Vermont 33 - 28 Win

NEW HAMPSHIRE PILES UP SCORE

Union Game Is The Fastest Of Season On The Home Floor

Three defeats were suffered by the varsity basketball team during the past week, two of them after the hardest, closest games of the year. After losing to New Hampshire here Friday evening by a wide margin, Captain Rice's men staged a strong comeback the next night at Burlington against Vermont. The game was forced into an overtime period, but the University won, 33 to 28. Monday evening Union, reputed to be one of the strongest fives in the East, appeared on the local floor and were forced to their utmost to win, 34 to 22. Coach Hargreaves' team showed a fast passing attack in each game, but seemed to lack form in shooting.

Vermont Wins Overtime Game

Although displaying superior passing form and foul shooting ability, Middlebury lost the most exciting game of the season to Vermont on Saturday evening when the Green and Gold emerged with a 33 - 28 victory after an overtime period. In every way Middlebury outpassed the Vermont quintet but Katz, playing right guard for the opponents, broke up the Middlebury offense at crucial moments.

The Black Panther drew first blood on a free try by Sorenson and held the lead for several minutes, after which the ball was worked into Vermont territory. Rice and Post scrimmaged for the ball under the basket with it going to Price who was waiting for it to score Vermont's first tally. At five different times during the first half Prentice, Price and Post went on a spree and the half ended with Vermont leading 17 to 11.

The second half was filled with action of every variety as Middlebury uncorked a dazzling attack and soon tied up the score. After this the two teams see-sawed back and forth under the baskets in rapid succession with the score tied at 28 all as the final whistle blew. At the start of the

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German Measles Epidemic Is Now Safely Checked

The epidemic of German measles which has threatened the college for the past week is now safely under control, according to a statement issued yesterday morning. Although none of the cases reported were of marked severity, the college health authorities maintained a strict quarantine.

For the first time since its opening last summer, the new Porter hospital was filled to capacity, all men who were afflicted being promptly sent there for treatment. A temporary infirmary was established at Pearsons Hall where women students were taken care of. One or two cases of chicken pox were also reported.

PUCKSTERS DEFEAT AGGIES - LOSE TO AMHERST SKATERS

Lone Tally Decides Each Game; M.A.C. Contest Goes Overtime

Captain McLaughlin's sextet broke even on its trip to Amherst, Mass., winning over M. A. C. in an overtime game Saturday and losing to Amherst Monday, in each case by a margin of one tally. The score of the first game was 2 to 1 and that of the latter, 3 to 2. The team showed a good brand of hockey in both games, always threatening to score and consistently presenting a strong defense.

Blue Trims M. A. C.

After two ten minute overtime periods, the Blue hockey team finally emerged victorious over M. A. C. by the score of 2 to 1 in the first game of the trip, played at Amherst Saturday morning before a large crowd gathered there for Alumni Day. The sextet played a fast, agressive game but was forced to the limit before it could win. Captain McLaughlin and Whittemore starred for the Blue, the latter making both of the team's tallies. Captain Moberg and Forest played well for the Aggies.

Whittemore started the scoring in the first minute of play, when he shot the puck past the Aggie goal keeper and into the strings for the first tally.

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Football Captain Rescues Puppy From Freshmen at Morning Chapel

Believing implicitly in compulsory chapel attendance, "Molecule," the few months old puppy belonging to Professor Haller, insisted on attending the morning chapel service yesterday. After the puppy had attracted the attention of the student body, President Moody suggested that it might be safer outside. G. E. Wiley, '28, rescued "Molecule" from the hands of the freshmen and led her into the vestibule.

REHEARSALS START FOR FRESHMAN PLAY

David McLean, Margaret Harworth To Take Leading Roles

Rehearsals have begun for the first act of "The Goose Hangs High," which will be presented with a Freshman cast by Wig and Pen March 19. Plans for a novel stage setting are being worked out which will help to make the play one of the best productions ever seen at the Playhouse.

The play should be of unusual interest to a college audience, inasmuch as two of its main characters are college students, home for vacation. Owing to the large number of characters involved, an excellent opportunity will be offered for an exhibition of the histrionic ability of the freshman class.

The cast, which was tentatively chosen early in January, was formally announced this morning by J. Audrey Clark '26, director of the production.

Playing the leading roles, those of Bernard and Eunice Ingals, will be David H. McLean and Margaret Harworth. The part of the twins, just home from college, will be played by Raymond F. Bosworth and Mary-Alice Drake.

Ski Men Enter Carnivals At Montreal and Norwich

Hunt and Weston In Jumping Events At Canadian University Meet Saturday

Middlebury's winter sports team will split up on Saturday and enter two separate carnivals, one at Montreal and another at Norwich. Hunt and Weston, both freshmen, will represent the college in the ski-jumping events at the big winter sports meet to be held at McGill University, Montreal. Both men had extensive experience on skis in prep school and are probably the most able jumpers in college. Each won an event at the Rutland Carnival last week, although there was no jumping on the program. Hunt made a ninety-six foot jump in the Lake Placid meet during Christmas vacation.

Lathrop '26 and Dearborn '29 will represent Middlebury at the winter carnival being held at Norwich in connection with Freshman Week there.

It has not yet been definitely decided whether a winter carnival will be held here on Washington's Birthday, Manager Grow said yesterday. Last year bad weather forced its cancellation but for three years before that very successful carnivals were held with the entire college participating.

Union Defeats Vermont

Burlington, Vt., Feb. 10—The Union College quintet defeated the University of Vermont in basketball here last night by the score of 24 to 16.

Phi Mu

1929

Elizabeth McDermott

MIDDLEBURY WINTER SPORTS TEAM CARRIES AWAY ALL HONORS AT RUTLAND CARNIVAL

Clement '27 Is Elected Junior Week Chairman

Foster R. Clement, Jr., of Burlington was chosen chairman of the Junior Week committee at a meeting of the class of 1927 held last week. Clement has been prominent in class and college activities, especially in the field of publications. He is business manager of the Blue Baboon and advertising manager of the 1927 Kaleidoscope. He is a member of the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity.

CLOSE COMPETITION IN MERRILL PRIZE SPEAKING CONTEST

Vecchiolla Wins First Place Weiss Takes Second Money

A forceful plea for the cancellation of war debts was embodied in a well-delivered speech which won for Frank L. Vecchiolla of Meriden, Conn., the first prize of fifty dollars in the Merrill Prize Speaking contest for sophomores, held in the Mead Memorial chapel last Wednesday evening. Second prize of thirty-five dollars was won by Iancu Weiss of New York City, speaking on "American Interests in China." Storrs Lee of Baltic, Conn., and P. A. Xanthopoulo of Athens, Greece, were the winners of third and fourth prizes of twenty-five and twenty dollars, respectively.

The judges of the contest were Prof. A. S. Harriman, Rev. R. Hailey Trill and Mr. Clarence C. Wells, all of Middlebury.

Mr. Vecchiolla handled his subject, "The Cancellation of the War Debts," quite skillfully. He said in substance, "The war is over but are the effects of it over? Europe suffered tremendous losses during the war, and now we are asking her on top of her previous losses to pay back money which was used to protect modern civilization. America should share in the cost of the war and cancel these debts even though we have a legal right to collect them. The cancellation of the war debts would make America better off economically as well as Europe. America is not self-sustaining. Her prosperity is dependant on her trade and commerce with other nations. If our debtors have money with which to buy our products, we will benefit thereby. America should do her part

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Snowmen Win First Leg On Beautiful Silver Trophy

INDIVIDUAL HONORS GO TO ROBINSON

Blue and White Makes 51 Points; Norwich 28; Vermont 1

Decisive superiority over the other Vermont colleges in the field of winter sports was evidenced at the Rutland Carnival Saturday when the Blue and White team easily piled up the highest total of points, returning to Middlebury with two large silver loving cups.

The collegiate meet, the big event of the two day carnival, developed into a dual affair between Middlebury and Norwich, with Vermont trailing far in the rear. Middlebury won the meet with a total of fifty-one points to Norwich's twenty-eight and Vermont's one. The cadets were represented by the largest team, having fifteen men entered, while Middlebury had an eight man team and Vermont only one man.

As a result of the victory Middlebury secures the first leg on the Exchange Club trophy and will keep it a year. The beautiful silver cup, which stands eighteen inches high, was officially presented to President Moody by Graduate Manager Shepardson at chapel Monday morning. It will become the permanent property of the college which wins it three different years. Another large cup was presented to Lindley Robinson '26, who was high point winner in the carnival. This cup is for permanent possession. Robinson made eighteen of his team's points, scoring three first places and a second. Chase of Norwich was second high point man with 13 points. Of the nine events, the Blue and White snowmen won first place in seven and second in the two others. In the fifty yard snowshoe dash, they won all three places. The relay was won by Middlebury.

Each of the eight men on the team contributed to the team's scoring. Robinson and Grow showed their usual dexterity on snowshoes. Robinson won such widely different events as the one hundred yard snowshoe dash, the potato snowshoe race and the six mile cross-country run besides being second to Grow in the fifty yard dash. Grow also scored in the potato race, which is a new kind of obstacle race. Both were members of the winning relay team. Dodd and Lathrop, both vet-

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CAST OF

"THE GOOSE HANGS HIGH"

FRESHMAN PLAY

Bernard Ingals	David H. McLean
Eunice Ingals	Margaret Harworth
Noel Derby	Samuel W. Pattee
Leo Day	F. Ryeburn Lynch
Rhoda	Bernice Munn
Julia Murdoch	Harriet Patterson
Mrs. Bradley	Elizabeth McDermott
Hugh Ingals	Raymond J. Saulnier
Ronald Murdoch	Henry M. Weston
Lois Ingals	Mary-Alice Drake
Bradley Ingals	Raymond F. Bosworth
Dagmar Carroll	Ruth Spaulding
Elliott Kimberley	William B. Gazdagh

Who Will Win Ten Dollars, Offered For Best Idea For Use of Old Chapel Room? Contest Still Open

There seems to be a scarcity of ideas in regard to possible uses of the Old Chapel room. As announced in last week's CAMPUS, President Moody has offered a prize of ten dollars to the person who offers the best suggestion concerning the possible utilization of this historic old room. Thus far only a few letters have been received and although they contain some excellent ideas, it is desirable that all possible ideas be submitted. The prize is a worthwhile one, but an even greater prize should be the satisfaction of seeing one's own plan used as the basis of any remodeling which may be done in this room. This satisfaction may be gained even though your suggestion does not win the prize for it is possible that the authorities will see merit in several of the plans and combine the best ideas of each, if it is decided to do something with the Old Chapel room. The award, however, will be given to the writer of the one suggestion which in itself is deemed best.

There are still three full days in which to submit suggestions. The contest is to close at five o'clock Saturday afternoon. Ideas should be embodied in a letter containing (1) the suggestion, (2) a brief explanation of how it could be put into effect, and (3) the reason for the appropriateness of the suggestion. The letters should be addressed to the Editor of the CAMPUS and may be left in the publication's office on the top floor of Old Chapel.

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CUTS

Since the publication of last week's editorial favoring a revision of the cut system, it has been made known that the officials of the college have been working for some time on a new plan, the details of which will probably be announced in the near future. We feel sure that the student body will welcome the news of this action and will await with expectancy any announcements which may be forthcoming.

HELP WANTED — MALE

"Tryouts for assistant manager of ..... report at the gym at two o'clock." How often every one of us has heard some such anncuncement as this read in chapel. How many of us stop to think of the significance of such a notice? Nine times out of ten it means that six or eight men will spend the entire afternoon in the gymnasium, rubbing down sweaty athletes perhaps, or possibly scrubbing the gym floor. Or it may mean that the would-be managers will be sent off to Porter Field to mix whitewash and spread it on the gridiron or the track. Thus does young America get its higher education!

There is no other activity in college which calls for such a great amount of useless work for such a small possibility of reward as that of managerial competitions. Nearly every other activity involves some work which is more or less of value in itself, whether the candidate is successful or not. For instance a man may be a member of a squad and never get in a game yet he will derive some physical benefit, or a man may write for the college paper and never make the board, yet he will have gained little experience in news writing. Then, too, in other competitions a man who works hard and faithfully may win a minor post or get some little reward for his endeavors.

But the situation is different among tryouts for the managerial posts. In the first place only one man can be elected. If there are eight competitors, seven will be left with no honor or reward for their long months of work. And what good does the tryout derive from the work he does? Practically none unless he plans to be a janitor in later life. In that case the experience may prove valuable. The man who has the right fraternity behind him will become assistant manager and then after a year of directing others in the dirty work will step into the exalted managership with all its work and worry but with its final reward of an "M". Grant, for the sake of argument, that the letter which the manager earns and the little business experience which he gains from his position are worth the three years of hard and tedious work. Are the rewards which the one successful competitor receives sufficient to justify the immense amount of wasted time and effort of the unsuccessful competitors? We think not.

To begin with, at least half the competitors are out of the running before they even start. They do not realize it at the time. Some will know it before they have been at their work long; others will never realize it, though it may be apparent to everyone else. It is natural that some will lack the requirements of a good manager. That is nothing against them as individuals. In other activities they might have the ability to handle the highest positions, but they are not capable of being managers. Others, though possessing all the qualifications of good managers, are unfortunate enough to belong to fraternities which can not possibly swing enough votes to them. These men will waste from fifteen to twenty hours a week for several months, competing for a position which they have no hope of winning, no matter what grades they may attain for their work.

At the same time studies and more valuable activities may suffer. We are sure that a good many such men realize their situation before they have worked for many weeks. Yet they will not give up their hopeless task for two reasons — some are there to represent their fraternities and must stick it out; others still hold to that ancient ideal of finishing what they have started. They do not realize that they would show greater strength in giving up a hopeless task than in sticking to it.

At the close of the competition there may be three or four men who are possibilities for the position. They are fully qualified for the position and they belong to fraternities which "rate." Each still has high hopes of election. Their fate will in all probability be decided at an Undergraduate Association meeting which is attended by only half the students who are eligible to vote. And the votes of the few present will be directed by the ever-present fraternity politics—an even worse evil.

Isn't it time to reorganize this system? We suggest that some move be taken so that a man who is hopelessly out of the running may drop out with an "honorable discharge" without wasting additional time. It is even more necessary to place the power of election in competent hands. The election should be taken entirely out of the range of fraternity politics and placed in the hands of some group which will not only be impartial but which will be in a position to judge the qualifications of the candidates.

DEBATERS PREPARE TO ENCOUNTER U.V.M.

Upstate Rivals To Present Experienced Team; Blue Hit By Graduation

With the first debate of the season, that against the University of Vermone at Burlington, February 25, now only two weeks distant, the varsity debaters are redoubling their efforts to produce a strong team. Frequent practice encounters as well as informal discussion conferences with various professors are being held to prepare the men to deal with the difficult but timely question of government ownership of anthracite coal mines.

Having met defeat at the hands of Middlebury last year, the Vermonters are out to even matters. Since their squad is composed entirely of juniors and seniors, there is a good probability that the Green and Gold will be represented by an able and experienced team. On the other hand, the Blue will greatly feel the loss of the seven Tau Kappa Alpha men who graduated with the class of 1925. Only four veterans remain, so the ranks are being filled by inexperienced men from the lower classes.

MOVIE STAR SENDS PHOTO FOR COMIC

Blue Baboon Making Elaborate Plans For Girls' Number Which Will Appear Next Month

One of the special features of the Girls' Number of the Blue Baboon which will appear early in March will be a full page portrait of Corinne Griffith that will serve as a frontispiece in this next issue. Lloyd C. Harris, editor of the comic, received the portrait yesterday which is autographed especially for the Girls' Number and along with it a letter from Miss Griffith which will also appear in this number.

Everything points to this being the most successful appearance of the Baboon this year and a large number of art and literary contributions have already been received but the members of the women's college are urgently requested to lend all their talents towards making this a genuine Girls' Number.

At Porter Hospital

J. N. Perrin, 3rd '26
A. A. Ross '26
D. U. Pinder '27
L. E. Bacon '27
H. P. Graves '27
T. Taylor '28
F. L. Smith '28
W. E. Gee '28
V. S. Keller, '28
C. H. Sloat '29
W. H. Hasseltine '29
H. L. Jones '29

WINTER SPORTS

The results of the Winter Carnival at Rutland Saturday show what Middlebury can do in winter sports. There is no college which has better natural advantages for the development of this most invigorating outdoor recreation. Yet we have not made the most of our opportunities. Collectively and individually the college has not supported winter sports. A call for tryouts for an eight man team to go to Rutland resulted in the appearance of five men. Others were recruited and the team went to Rutland to carry away high honors. With the support and interest that is accorded other teams, Middlebury could easily rank with Dartmouth, Williams and New Hampshire in the field of winter sports. Why not give more attention to the sport for which, above all others, we are naturally fitted?

HISTORICAL BOOK GIVEN TO LIBRARY

Edwin D. Howe, '87, Sends Old Greek Testament, Connected With College Since Founding

The following letter was received by President Paul D. Moody recently, telling of an interesting old Greek testament, the history of which is intimately connected with that of the college.

Valatie, N. Y.
January 25, 1926.

Pres. Paul D. Moody,
Middlebury College,
Middlebury, Vt.

My Dear Sir:

While browsing through my library yesterday I came across an old Greek Testament printed by Johannes Nichols, London, 1794. It has had quite a history. The first owner was Vandergilt, Yale College and then it came to Middlebury probably with the First President as it has signature of Calvin Noble, Middlebury College, June 13, 1802; then Cook (Governor); then Burton B. Wright somewheres in the thirties; T. H. McLeod '52; A. W. Varney, '86; Edwin D. Howe, '87; Joseph Warren Howe, '16. It seems to me the best place for this book is in the Library at Middlebury College where it can rest in security. It covers in its ownership the whole existence of the old college and I doubt if there is anything there with an unbroken history intimately connected with the college. While I was about it, I picked out nine other text books in Greek and Latin averaging about 100 years old and have the lot packed and am shipping them up to the college library. They are valuable as relics and may serve some student or writer as a reference to the early text and also punctuation.

Very truly yours,
Edwin D. Howe, '87.

COMMUNICATION

To the Editor of The Campus:

There are two traditions in regard to the rank of classes in chapel which are not observed. One is that each class should wait until the class above it has left the chapel, before it leaves its seats. At present, juniors start as soon as the first senior passes them and then the sophomores mingle in as soon as a junior has passed them.

Possibly some of the underclassmen don't know it but the rail around the portico of the chapel used to be called the "senior rail" and aonly seniors were supposed to have the privilege of leaning on it. This custom seems to have been disregarded during the past year.

It would be beneficial, I believe, if both of these long-standing customs were lived up to more carefully in the future. '26.

Start Work on Mammoth New Chapel at Princeton

Princton, N. J., Feb. 10—Work has commenced on the new college chapel, which, when completed, will accommodate the entire student body of 2000. The new structure, which is being built to replace the old Marquand Chapel, destroyed by fire in 1920, will rank next to the King's College Chapel at Oxford University, England, in size and capacity.

Although the foundation work has been completed since last summer, the contract for the actual building was not awarded until last week. The total cost of the chapel is estimated at $1,750,00, most of which has already been raised by insurance on Marquand Chapel and gifts received since it was destroyed. The structure will be Gothic in design and will be constructed of a light colored Pennsylvania limestone.

The chapel when completed will complete a quadrangle, two sides of which are now formed by McCosh Hall, and will occupy a central position on the University campus

Girls living at the Chateau are planning to take a sleighride to East Middlebury this evening. They will have a chicken supper at the Community House there.

CALENDAR

Advance notices of College activities signed by one authorized and left in The Campus Office by 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon will be printed in the week's calendar.

Wednesday—
7:00 p. m. Band Rehearsal.
Thursday—
8:00 p. m. Dramatic Club.
Friday—
4:30 p. m. Orchestra rehearsal.
Saturday—
2:00 p. m. Varsity Hockey, Middle- vs. St. Michael's.
Sunday—
5:00 p. m. Vespers service, Rev. Ambrose Vernon of Dartmouth.
Tuesday—
7:15 p. m. Y. W. C. A.
7:15 p. m. Undergraduate Association Meeting.

HOYT VS. MARCH IN HANDBALL FINAL

Senior And Sophomore Win In Semi-Final Round; Will Oppose Each Other For Title

The final match in the college handball tournament will probably be played some day during the coming week with E. M. Hoyt '26 opposing Marchukaitis '28 for the championship of the college. Each won his match in the semi-finals this week, gaining the right to participate in the finals. Hoyt had a stiff fight to beat Seymour, the junior champion, by the score of 21-15, 21-7, 17-21 and 21-5. Seymour rallied to win the third game but Hoyt had an easy time in the last game, allowing his opponent only five points.

In the other semi-final March beat Spooner '29 in straight games, 21-16, 21-14 and 21-17.

The match for the medal for the college championship should be a close one for Hoyt and Marchukaitis are recognized to be the best handball players in college. Hoyt has ranked high in the handball tourneys of the past few years and hopes to win this one which will be his last.

ALUMNI NOTES

'61—Robert A. Donaldson died at San Francisco, Calif., January 16, 1926. He was the last living member of his class at the time of his death. Information was furnished by his son, Robert Hugh Donaldson, whose address is given as 3079 Clay St., San Franscisco.

'02—Gilbert W. Roberts has been elteted president of the New York Alumni Association, to serve for one year.

'00—Rev. Thomas A. Carlson has left West Rutland and is now living at Plymouth, Conn.

'20—Earle V. Good is now teaching in Glenbrook, Conn., and is making his residence in the same place.

'20—Joseph P. Kasper sailed on January 30 for Europe as a buyer for the chinaware department of the R. H. Macy Company of New York City.

'23—C. E. Shelvey has accepted the position of Asst. District Traffic Manager of the Montclair District, New York Telephone Co.

Sophomores Give A Dance

The sophomore members of the Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority held a very attractive party in their house Saturday evening, Feb. 6. Most of the time was devoted to dancing, with Harold Higgins, '28, furnishing excellent music. There were bridge and other games.

Refreshments were served during intermission.

Delta Upsilon Holds Informal Dance

About twenty couples celebrated the opening of the second semester at an attractive informal dance given by the Delta Upsilon fraternity in the house, Saturday evening. Gruggel's orchestra furnished excellent music for the dancers. Refreshments were served during intermission. The chaperones were Professor and Mrs. Hathaway.

QUINTET OFF FOR BAY STATE GAMES

Meets Three Strong Teams, B. U., Tufts and M. A. C.

The Blue and White quintet will make its second invasion of the Bay State the latter part of this week when it meets three of the Massachusetts colleges. The team left this morning for Boston where they will play Boston University on Thursday night and on the following night will travel out to Medford to engage the Tufts basketeers. Both of these games should be interesting as the quintets appear to be fairly evenly matched.

From Medford the team will cross to the western part of the state to meet the Massachusetts Agricultural college at Amherst on Saturday night. M. A. C. has a comparatively strong quintet this year and both teams will have plenty of chance to do their stuff on the armory floor.

Coach Hargreaves has not yet decided on the lineup that he will use on the Bay State trip as he has been using several new men in the last three games. Sorenson, who is playing at center, is showing up in fine shape and Palmer is displaying good form at right guard.

Hoopsters Lose Out To Three Strong Opponents

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over-time period Post made a pretty free try and a moment later Prentice got in a side shot. Vermont started to stall as Middlebury closed in on Capt. Post who was unguarded under his own basket. A pass from Marvin and Post went true as the game ended in Vermont's favor.

The Middlebury attack was a complete surprise to the Green and Gold who had more or less planned on an easy time after the comparative showings made against New Hampshire. Sorenson, playing his second varsity game, was a whirlwind of speed and shooting and piled up a total of nine points.

Summary:

Vermont

	G.	F.	P.
Prentice, rf	5	2	12
Post, lf	3	1	7
Marvin, c	2	0	4
Katz, rg	1	0	2
Price, lg	3	2	8
Total	14	5	33

Middlebury

	G.	F.	P.
Towne, rf	1	1	3
Palmer, rf	1	0	2
Collins, rf	0	0	0
W. Rice, lf	1	0	2
Sorenson, c	2	5	9
McNeil, lf	0	0	0
R. Rice, rg	3	3	9
Knowles, lg	1	1	3
Totals	9	10	28

Referee—Swaffield, Montpelier.

Strong Union Team Wins

In the fastest game which has been seen on the floor of the McCullough Gymnasium this year, the Black Panther quintet went down to defeat at the hands of the powerful Union College team Monday evening by the score of 34 to 22. The game was a whirlwind of passing and dribbling from start to finish and the score hardly indicates the closeness of the contest. Although Union was always in the lead after the first ten minutes, the fast attack of Captain Rice and his teammates always threatened. Middlebury's passing game was fast and sure but too often it ended up in a heartbreaking shot which rolled around the rim and fell on the outside. The height of the visiting team was a big advantage, especially in follow-up shots.

O'Neil, playing center for Union, was high point man, with four baskets and four fouls. In nearly every case he scored by pushing the ball into the basket with one hand on follow-up shots. Sorenson, playing at center in his third varsity contest, showed conclusively his right to the position left vacant by the ineligibility of Maynard. Although six inches shorter than his opponent, he got the jump a fair proportion of the time and led his teammates in scoring with three baskets and a foul. Towne, though guarded very closely, broke loose for six points. The Rice brothers played their usual whirlwind floor game. Knowles' guarding prevented the visitors from scoring many more points, but the swiftness of the play caused him to make fouls and he left the game in the middle of the second half with four personals.

Union Starts Scoring

Neither team scored for five minutes after the game opened, although the play was fast and furious. Finally Union jumped into the lead with a basket and two fouls by O'Neil. Sorenson and W. Rice evened the score, each tallying a pretty basket from the floor. Union again took the lead but the Blue kept up the pace and the score was tied at eight all. Accurate shooting, however, put the visitors ahead and

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Henry C. Newell, Pastor
Telephone 64
Sunday Morning Worship 10:45 a.m.
Students' Forum 12:00 noon
All Students are Welcome

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For the Sunday Noon Course
But friendly and intimate conferences on matters of student interest
All Students Welcome

Methodist Church
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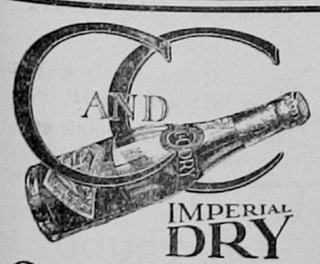

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Bishop A. C. Hall Speaks At Sunday Vesper Service

Bishop of Vermont Denounces Present Day Tendency To Compromise With Truth

"Truth and Falsehood" was the subject chosen by the Right Reverend A. C. Hall, of Burlington, who spoke in chapel at Vespers last Sunday. Emphasizing the vast amount of false deception that characterizes the present day society, Bishop Hall stated that Truth had seemingly become an almost impossible ideal. He argued that when Truth is lost as the basis of society, the family, the community, the church and the state are all in serious danger.

The speaker made an especially vigorous plea against one of the most common forms of lying—that which is a result of our trying to disguise our true selves. Fear of being laughed at, of censure, and of disapproval results in another kind of lie. Bishop Hall closed his sermon with appeal for genuineness in religion, urging against the meaningless repetition of prayers or praise in which we do not sincerely believe.

FIRST HOME HOCKEY GAME ON SATURDAY

Team To Meet St. Mike's; Vermont Scheduled For Monday

For the first time this season, Middlebury will have a chance to see its hockey team in action, for the sextet is scheduled to meet St. Michael's on the home rink Saturday afternoon. The game should be a good one, for Captain McLaughlin's team has shown a great deal of strength this year. Little is known of the strength of the Winooski sextet.

The team which represents the Blue will probably be the same as that which made such a strong showing against Mass. Aggies and Amherst although it is possible that Kelly, the freshman who has been playing center, will not get into the game on account of an injury to his ankle.

Monday the team will travel to Burlington to meet the newly organized sextet on their rink on Lake Champlain. The Blue has the edge on its rivals because of its advantage of experience in previous games and because of its havisg had more practise. The Green and Gold team has just been organized and is starting its first varsity schedule.

Next Wednesday the team goes to West Point to meet the Army. This game was scheduled last year but was cancelled on account of bad weather so this will be the first time that the Black Panther has met the Army Mule on the ice.

Plans Made At Yale For Wonder Library

Plans for the Sterling Memorial Library, which will be "the largest and best planned in the world," have just been announced at Yale. It will take two years to construct the building, which will cost six million dollars and which will eventually house, 5,000,000 volumes. The large building will be surmounted by an enormous "book tower", 192 feet high and 85 feet square.

The main reading room will have a vaulted ceiling 60 feet high, with cathedral windows at either end of the room. There will be 15,000 important reference books accessible in this room.

Big Events Being Planned For At Other Vermont Colleges

The other two Vermont colleges are both making plans for big week-end events which are to come in the near future. Norwich's Freshman week is to be held this Friday and Saturday. A winter carnival, the Freshman Hop and fraternity house parties will be the chief events on the program.

At the University of Vermont, the annual Kake Walk is to be held February 20. This is one of the big events of the year at the University, a full program always being arranged for the occasion.

The Graduate Football Advisory Committee has resigned in a body at Harvard because they have been able to make no satisfactory agreement with the Athletic Committee in regard to the selection of a new football coach.

Men Shave in Class

The principle of equal rights for men has been established at the University of California. Professor Ira B. Cross recently expressed annoyance at the time taken from studies by feminine students powdering their noses and freshening their countenances. He said boys had an equal privilege and rights if they desired them.

Two men appeared recently with shaving equipment and when Professor Cross started his lecture they lathered and shaved. Professor Cross led the applause, saying that if they would make their names known to him—he was unable to recognize them under the lather—he would see that they received a grade of "A" for the term.—New Student.

Interest Manifested In Squash Tennis

Plans Being Made For Undergraduate Tournament; Faculty Team Being Organized

Another popular indoor sport is fast taking its place at Middlebury in the form of squash tennis. An unusual amount of interest is being manifested in this activity. Plans are now being made for an undergraduate tournament, the winner of which will receive a medal. Five men are already entered. Those whose names are now in are Fales, Foster, Novotny, Seymour and Wolfskehl.

A match is also being arranged between a team composed of faculty members and an undergraduate team. The faculty team will in all probability be composed of President Moody and Coaches Brown, Klevenow and Riegelman, while the student combination will include Foster, Seymour, Fales and Novotny or Wolfskehl.

Winter Sports Team Wins Rutland Carnival

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erans in winter sports, also made points, the latter winning the cross-country ski race but being disqualified at the finish on account of a technicality. Weston and Hunt, freshmen, each won a first place, while scoring was also done by two other frosh, Burrows and Dearborn.

The results of the various events in the collegiate meet follow:

100-yard ski dash—First, H. E. Hunt, Middlebury; second, Osborne Chase, Norwich; third, B. E. Bardsley, Norwich; time 30 seconds. 50-yard snowshoe dash—First, W. D. Grow, Middlebury; second, L. Robinson, Middlebury; third, R. Burrows, Middlebury; time 11 1-2 seconds. 220-yard ski dash—First, Chase, Norwich; second, M. Lathrop, Middlebury; third Bardsley, Norwich; time 51 seconds. Potato snowshoe race—First, Robinson, Middlebury; second, T. M. Ball, Norwich; third, Grow, Middlebury. Relay ski race—Won by Middlebury.

100-yard snowshoe race — First, Robinson, Middlebury; second, Burrows, Middlebury; third, Kendall, Norwich; time, 41 seconds. Obstacle ski race—First, Chase, Norwich; second, Weston, Middlebury; third, Bragg, Vermont. Six-mile cross-country snowshoe race—First, Robinson, Middlebury; second, Dodd, Middlebury; third, T. M. Ball, Norwich; time, 27 minutes, 30 seconds. Six-mile cross-country ski race—First, Weston, Middlebury; second, Bardsley, Norwich; time, 31 minutes.

Health House Given Dartmouth

Dartmouth has recently been given a gift of $150,000 with which to erect a "Health House." It will serve as an infirmary where students who are slightly ill can be taken for a rest. Although separate from the hospital, it will be near it and will be connected to it by a passageway. The building is the gift of E. K. Hall, a Dartmouth alumnus, and is in memory of his son, who was a member of the class of 1927.

Scullion's Ball, Feb. 27

Plans are being made to hold the annual Scullion's Ball in Hepburn Social Hall February 27. This affair, a formal dinner dance, is held annually by all those who work or have worked in Hepburn Commons. Robinson '26, is in charge of the committee which is making arrangements.

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GLEE CLUB TO SING IN BOSTON CONTEST

Will Compete With Nine Other Clubs of New England Colleges

The Middlebury Glee Club will leave Saturday morning for Boston where it will take part in the first annual New England Intercollegiate Glee Club contest to be held in Jordan Hall that evening. Nine clubs will compete for the right to represent New England at the national contest to be held in New York in March. Each club will sing "Lamp in the West" by Horatio Parker, which is the prize song. Each will also sing a college song and another song of its own choice. Middlebury is to sing "Gamaliel Painter's Cane" and "Gypsy John" by Frederick Clay.

The personnel of the club as it will appear Saturday night is as follows: First tenors; Bacon, Furbush, Mangan, Perrin, Vorce, Wright; second tenors, Crane, Hilliard, Leahy, Padula, J. Thomson, M. Williams; first bass, Bosworth J. Gruggel, Hardy, M. Johnson, McProud, B. Newcomb, Yeaw; second bass, Allen, Fuller, Huntington, Kinne, McCutcheon, Penn, Reed, Riccio, W. Thompson, Van Hoven.

Y. W. C. A. Meeting

The Y. W. C. A. meeting last night was held in Pearsons' Social Hall. The speaker of the evening was Dr. Longwell, who took for his subject "The Past, Present and Future as regards Religion in general and Young People in Particular".

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DEKE HOLDS LEAD IN RACE FOR CUP

Is Only Undefeated Team; K. D. R. Wins Over Chi Psi

With four more games played in the interfraternity basketball series during the past week, Delta Kappa Epsilon, winner of the title last year, remains as the only undefeated team. The Dekes had an easy time defeating Kappa Delta Rho, 40 to 17, last Wednesday evening.

Chi Psi fell from the leadership of the league when it lost to Kappa Delta Rho in a hard fought game preliminary to the varsity's contest with Union Monday evening. Both teams guarded closely, holding down the score to 17 to 12.

Alpha Sigma Phi, in its first and only contest, did not show the form that kept it near the top of the league last year and lost a hard-fought game to Sigma Phi Epsilon, 24 to 18. The most lopsided score of the week was that rolled up on Beta Kappa by the Neutrals, who won 24 to 4 in the preliminary to the New Hampshire game.

Games on the schedule for this week are:

Feb. 10, (6:45) B. K. v D. K. E.
Feb. 11, (6:45) K. D. R. v S. P. E.
Feb. 12, (6:45) D. K. E. v A. S. P.
Feb. 13, (4:00) Neut. v K. D. R.

Sextet Downs Aggies; Loses Game to Amherst

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This lead was maintained until the third period when Forest sent the rubber down the ice and into the net to even the score.

Although the play was fast and furious in the first ten minute overtime period, neither side could score. Midway of the second ten minute session, Whittemore scored the winning tally.

The summary:

Middlebury	M. A. C.
Whittemore, rw.	lw., Forest
Kelly, Bossert, c.	c., Fresse
Simmons, Hill, lw.	rw., Moberg
Twitchell, rd.	ld., Potter
McLaughlin, ld	rd., Abrahamson
Conley, g.	g., Swan, Palger

Score: Middlebury 2, Aggies 1. Goals made by Whittemore 2, Forest. Referee, Dowd; goal umpires, Reed and Mulhem. Timer, Dole. Time, three 15m and two 10m overtime periods.

Lose to Amherst

After having defeated the Aggies, the pucksters went across town to meet Amherst Monday and there were defeated by a 3 to 2 score. Amherst took the lead early in the game on goals by Parnell, Patrick and Cameron. In the final minutes of play, the Blue staged a rally which fell one tally short of tying the score. Twitchell and Whittemore scored for Middlebury.

With two minutes to go, Twitchell scored, unassisted, the first Middlebury tally. Thirty seconds before the game ended, Whittemore started the puck from behind his own goal and carried the rubber through the entire Amherst team and slammed it into the strings.

Due to penalties, Amherst was forced to play with but four men on the ice during the latter part of the game.

The summary:

Middlebury	Amherst
Whittemore, rw.	lw., R. Patrick
Kelly, c.	c., M. Cameron
Simmons, lw.	rw., Lawson
Twitchell, rd.,	ld., S. Cameron
McLaughlin, ld.	rd., Parnell
Conley, g.	g., Miller

Score: Amherst 3, Middlebury 2. Goals, Parnell, Patrick, M. Cameron, Twitchell, Whittemore. Substitutions, Amherst, Currier; Middlebury, Hill. Penalties, Amherst 2. Referee, Dowd of Amherst. Time, two 15m and one 20m.

Vecchiolla Winner of Merrill Prize Speaking

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in the great cause. Here, in the cancellation of the war debts is a splendid opportunity to do her part in carrying on."

Mr. Weiss, winner of the second prize spoke forcefully of "American Interests in China." In part, he said, "China has looked on America as a big brother. She has spent twenty-four million dollars for the education of her youth in this country. At present China is surrounded by enemies who are inciting the people to insurrection. China looks to us for help because we have previously helped her and she knows that we are not trying to fulfill selfish ends in our relations with her. Our policy has always been, 'Justice to All.' Where would our republic be if we had not been helped by another nation? So we should help China to establish self-government. Let us give China both the physical and moral support which she so sorely needs to save her from destruction."

The third prize was won by W. Stores Lee, who took for his subject, "Is College Filling Its Place?" Mr. Lee said that the purpose of the college was to train leaders, but that today the leaders of the people are those who emphasize superlatives. "There are three reasons why colleges are not fulfilling their function today; wealth, athletics and the mob spirit. First, it is even possible," said Mr. Lee, "to purchase scholastic standing. The idea seems to be pulled up from the top by wealth rather than to work up from the bottom. Second, athletics are defeating their own end. Instead of general participation, only those which excel are permitted to take part. It is team athletics not college athletics. Third, as a result of the mob spirit we have, for instance, a fad of Egyptian sweaters. Every collegiate young man must wear one. Mob spirit is directly opposed to any leadership whatever. It prevents college from producing leaders. Is college filling its place? In the answer to this question rests the future of the race."

P. A. Xanthopoulo, the winner of the fourth prize, spoke expressively on the topic, "Leadership." He said, "Leadership is one of the greatest needs of the world today. A true national leader solves a country's problems and works entirely for the country's good. On the other hand the exploiter while working for the general good of the nation is always looking out for his own interests. The right kind of leaders are necessary to prevent such misspent energy as Russia has experienced since the war. America needs leaders. It is up to the younger generation to supply them. This can be done only through the development of personality."

The other speeches were: "A Tragedy of Waste," by Napoleon J. Blanchette; "The Hard Coal Situation," by George H. Eaton; "Crime," by Grant G. Lavery; "Our Youngest Generation," by Donald H. Penn; and "Patriotism," by Wilson M. Sheldon. The speakers were trained in the one-hour course in prize speaking under the direction of Dana S. Hawthorne, '26.

The speeches were interspersed with a musical program which was well received by the audience. Miss Prudence H. Fish played two organ solos, Walter H. Thompson, '26, gave a vocal solo and James Thomson, '29, a violin solo. President Paul D. Moody presided.

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Beta Kappa	0	3	000

Hoopsters Lose Out To Three Strong Opponents

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at the close of the half they were on the long end of a 21 to 12 score.

Throughout the second half the game was close, Middlebury at one time closing up the gap to a five point margin. W. Rice and McNeil alternated at left forward and each found the basket for counters. Superior shooting ability enabled Union to add to their total and the game ended with the score 32 to 22.

The summary:

Middlebury	G.	F.	P.
Towne, rf.	2	2	6
W. Rice, lf.	2	0	4
McNeil, lf	1	0	2
Sorenson, c.	3	1	7
R. Rice, rg.	0	1	1
Knowles, lg.	1	0	2
Hasseltine, lg.	0	0	0
	9	4	22

Union	G.	F.	P.
Riplon, rf.	1	1	3
Gilligan, rf.	1	1	3
Makofski, lf.	4	0	8
Millian, lf.	0	0	0
O'Neil, c.	4	4	12
Maybe, c.	1	0	2
Fink, rg	3	0	6
Shane, rg.	0	0	0
Bednowitz, lg.	0	0	0
Liflight, lg.	0	0	0
	14	6	34

Referee, O'Brien. Timer, Klevenow. Time, two twenty minute periods.

New Hampshire Is Victor

The worst defeat of the season was handed the Blue quintet on the home floor Friday evening when the strong New Hampshire State aggregation took the long end of a 31 to 13 score. The Granite Staters brought a squad of tall, rangy hoopsters to meet Coach Hargreave's scrappy five and their superior height and shooting ability gave them the victory.

Middlebury's passing attack showed its usual speed but it was harmless because of the inaccurate shooting. The excellence of the opponents' team work and shooting made them probably the strongest quintet that Middlebury has faced this year. They piled up a commanding lead in the first few minutes of play and were never in any danger of being headed.

Davis, at left forward, led the visitors in scoring, while Capt. "Shorty" Rice found the basket most often for Middlebury. Sorenson played the entire game at center, being the first member of the class of 1929 to take part in a varsity contest.

Summary:

New Hampshire	G	F	T
Cotton, rf (Capt)	2	2	6
Davis, lf	4	2	10
Taylor, c	2	2	6
Nicora, rg	1	1	3
Kelsea, lg	3	0	6
Smith, c	0	0	0
Bridge, lf	0	0	0
	12	8	31

Middlebury	G	F	T
Towne, rf	0	1	0
W. Rice, lf	1	2	4
Sorenson, c	0	2	2
R. Rice, rg (Capt.)	2	1	5
Knowles, lg	0	1	1
Ryan, rf	0	0	0
Palmer, lf	0	0	0
	3	7	13

Referee, O'Brien; timer, Brown. Time two 20-minute halves.

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